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Previous references.

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File No. 195-92

Serial Nos. 1-6

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1-6

Part B for April 1893

SUBJECT.

Appeal of Annegowda of Bidare, Chickamagalur Taluk, for the Patel ship of the said Village in accordance with the will of his deceased Sister who was the Barawardar.

To

S.S. The Deputy Commissioner, Kadur District.

No. 18472 D. 20.4.1893

P.F. 287-92

Informing him that the appeal has been rejected, and the appointment of Ramegowda alias Shankaregowda who is a divided Cousin of Heggadegowda has a preferable claim to the Office, proper —

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Revenue Appeal No 29
of 1892-93. 1.

Appellant -
Annithegowda of Bidare
Khandya Nagangy -
Chickmagalur Taluq.

Respondent
Ramegowda alias
Shankaregowda.

I Ramagowda
related as
stated in Pedigree.

Heggadegowda (marked A
in the genealogical tree
attached to the Dy Comr's report)
the registered Patel of Bidare
died before 1874, leaving
(1.) Mallamma Heggadathy
1st widow, (2). Linganna
Heggadathy second wife,
Heggadegowda Junior son
by the second wife, and two
daughters by the 1st. the Junior
succeeded his father and
was confirmed in 1875-76
and one B. Mallappa was
appointed gumasta.
The Junior died in 1877.
Linganna the 2nd widow
claimed the office for the
appellant Annithegowda,
her mother's sister's son
whom, she said, she had adopted.
Mallamma opposed the
application and requested

that the then gumastha
B. Mallappa might be
allowed to continue until
her daughters married.
The Deputy Commissioner
recognized the claims of
neither the appellant
nor the widow, but appointed
the deceased minor's gumastha
as B. Mallappa as the
registered Patel. This was
on 1st July 1879. In September 79
B. Mallappa resigned the
office in favor of the Re-
spondent, Rangowda alias Sankarganda
said to have been adopted by
Mallamma, and the Deputy
Commissioner appointed
Rangowda vice B. Mallappa
on 12th September 1879.
Linganna appealing
to the Division Commissioner
in 1880, Rangowda's
appointment was cancelled,
and Linganna was
allowed to nominate a
gumastha for her own.
(Dy Comrs order of 19-1-80).
~~In 1886 the~~ The first
nominated one M. Range-
gowda as her gumastha

Appellant appointed their
Gumasta.

In 1891 Linganna died.
Both the Appellant and
the Respondent claimed
the office and the D.C. Cond.
appointed the Respondent
as Potel. of 25-5-92.

The Appellant contends—

(a). That the Respondent's
alleged connection with
the ~~office~~ family is false,

(b). That he (appellant) is
Linganna's brother and
Mallamma's brother in law,
and lived with, and looked
after the business of
Linganna, ever since
her Lord death,

(c) That Linganna stated
in her will ~~that~~ the appellant
should have her property
as well as the Potelly.

(d) That he performed her
funeral ceremonies, and

(e) That he discharged the
duties of the office satisfac-
torily for 6 years.

The Respondent produced
before the lower court the
following documents—

I A [illegible] of 1897, in which the Respondent is stated to be of the same 'Gotra' as Mallamma who adopted him.

II A Genealogical table which shews that the Respondent and Heggadesy gowda the Senior were cousins of the 4th degree.

The Deputy Commissioner reports that the Appellant failed to disprove the Respondent's relationship to the last Hukdar though opportunity was given him. The Respondent examined two witnesses to the relationship.

The Dy Comd. states in his order that Amritegowda (Appellant) "appears to have no legal claim to the Patelly beyond being the husband of Dodda Kalu (1st daughter of Mallamma) and cousin of Linganna Heggadathy, neither of which claims entitled him to the Patelly as being heir-at-law."

The Deputy Commissioner in his report submits

Genuineness of the deed does not appear to have been questioned. Appellant admits the adoption, but contends it was not recognised.

One of them is Mallappa who for some time performed the duties of the Patel during his minority. He is 35 years old. The other is Vire Gowda Patel of Pandravalli. His age is not given, but he says he knew the old Heggade Gowda. Both say that Linganna and Respondt were gnatis.

the direct male or female
line, Ramegowda alias
Shenkaregowda (Respt.)
who was stated to be one
of the divided members of
the family and who was
found to have had the
preferential right & that
of the appellant was appointed
Hakdar vice Lingamma
Heggadathy.

S. V.

Posted for hearing
for Mr Rao
on 6th Feb 93

Posted for hearing
on 20th April 93

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the Council
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Revenue Appeal No 29
of 1892-93

Appellant,— Amritegonda
of Bidare Chik-
magalore Taluk.

Respondent,— Ramegonda
alias Shankaregonda
of the same village.

Heggadegonda, the registered
Patel of Bidare died
before 1874, leaving two
widows, Hallamma —
Heggadatti & Lingamma
Heggadatti, a minor son,
named Heggadegonda by
the ~~first~~ second wife and two
daughters by the first.

The minor son was registered
as Patel and one Bakkimane

Mallappa was appointed
his gumasta. This was in 75-76.

The minor died in
1877, and his mother, Lingamma
petitioned the Amildar that
Amrikegonda (Appt.), ~~who~~ was her
mother's sister's son & whom
she had adopted might
be appointed Patel. Mallamma
requested that the Patelki should
be registered in her name or
that the gumasta should be
allowed to do duty till the
marriage of her daughters, and
that afterwards one of her
sons-in-law should be
appointed to the office. She
~~previously~~ subsequently petitioned
that she would adopt a boy
as her son and that the Patelki
should be registered in his
name.

Vide her statement
of 11.9.78 (File A, ~~leaf~~ 14)

Vide her petition of 29.12.7
(File A, leaf 17)

On the first of ~~January~~ July, 79,
the Deputy Comm.r Mr. Lacey
appointed the Gumasta —
Bikkimane Mallappa as Patel

on the grounds that — Amritegouda had no claim to the office as his adoption was not valid, that, under the Chief Comm^r's circular No $\frac{9602}{5-2}$ of 5.2.78 it was inadmissable to recognize woman's right in such appointments, and that therefore he (Dy Comr) was at liberty to select a Patel best suited for the office

In September 79, Bikki-mane Mallappa resigned the office in favour of Shankaregouda (Respt) who had been adopted by — Mallamma, and he continued to act as gumasta.

Vide Mr. Lacey's order of 12.2.79 (File A, leaf 23.)

Lingamma appealed to the D^n Comm^r in obedience to whose order, the Deputy Comm^r directed that the appointment of Shankarappa, the alleged adopted son of Mallamma be cancelled

Vide Mr. Venkatavardiengar's order of 19.1.80. (File A, leaf 26)

and that Lingamma be allowed to nominate a duly qualified officiator.

She first nominated one Melamane Ramégouda, and then, Amritégouda (Appt.) who was appointed as gumasta on 4.9.86. Vide file B, leaf 1.

Lingamma, the Registerdar died in November 91. The Respondent-Shankaregouda claimed the Patéli on the grounds— Vide file C, leaves 8-9 & 27-28,

(1) that he was adopted son of Mallamma,

(2) that he was Heggade-gouda's cousin, and

(3) that he performed the funeral obsequies of the deceased Lingamma.

He produced a registered Deed* of Adoption in which he is stated to be of the same Gótra as Mallamma, and a genealogical table which shows that Heggade-gouda senior and the Respondent to be cousins of the fourth degree. * File C, leaves 5-6.

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Vide file C, leaves 35-36.

Respondents witnesses, Viregonda and Mallappa confirmed his statements about his adoption and his relationship to the deceased Lingamma.

Amritegonda contradicts the Respondents statements and claimed the office for himself.

Vide file C, leaves 20-21

The Amildar reported that Amritegonda was more competent than Shankare-gonda and might be appointed Patel by Govt. till a duly qualified hakdar came up.

The Dy Commr found that Amritegonda appeared to have no legal claim to the Patili beyond being the husband of Doddakalu ~~Lingamma~~ (Mallamma's first daughter, and cousin of Lingamma, neither of

which claims entitled him to the Patel as heir-at-law, and on 26.6.92 appointed Shankarappagouda (Respt.) Patel to Bidare vice Lingamma Heggadatti deceased.

The appeal is against the above order appointing the Respondent.

The Appellant contends—

(1) that the genealogical tree produced by the ~~Respt~~ Respondent is a fabricated one, and he bears no relationship to the deceased Lingamma; and that the amildar gave ~~Respt~~ Appellant no opportunity to prove the above statement,

(2) that if the Respondent were really related to Lingamma, the relationship would have been mentioned in the Deed of Adoption and in the numerous petitions addressed by him & his people, and

his father and brothers would not have kept quiet without claiming the office for fifteen years, while Government was searching for a hakdar to the office,

(3) that the Appellant lived with his sister Lingamma and managed all her business ever since her son's death,

(4) that, on her death-bed, she executed a ~~board~~ will to the effect that Appellant should have her lands as well as Pateli,

(5) that he enjoys Lingamma's entire property,

(6) that he performed her funeral ceremonies, and

(7) that he discharged the duties of the office for 6 years to the satisfaction of the authorities.

S.V. 19/12 The points taken in the appeal petition are answered by the Dy Com

in his report

21/1/93

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

The Official claimed the office of ~~Patel~~ Patel of Kolara in Mr. Chikmagalur Taluk He has a share in the Hereditary Emoluments when the last holder of the office having died or resigned (vacated) the office (during the minority) of the said person (minor) Mr. [illegible] considered that Official has no legal claim to the office & is responsible to the Revenue

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

Appeal No- 29 of 1892-93.

Appellant- Amrite Gowda
(Since deceased)

Respondent- Rame Gowda alias
Shamkare Gowda.
by Mr- S. Ramachandra Iyer-

One Chikke Gowda, a ~~Cousin~~ Cousin of the dec'd appellant has presented a petition stating that he is the only heir of the dec'd, and praying that his name may be placed on the record as appellant in the place of Amritegowda-

Notices not yet returned-

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Heggadadevana
Case Entered
in my Interlocutory
Book at p 1.

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The appellant is reported a common dies appl
Wife dead: One Chikke Gowda has presented
a petition claiming the Office on Gr.

Heggadadevana the original
holder died leaving him surviving
two daughters & a son who are

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thus apparent that Nagar Dodadevaraja
line is now completely extinct.
The Chief in whose favour the
Sanad has confirmed the Alienation
appears to be a distant connexion
of Nagar family but has not
has no supported claim to
the Alienation and the Sanad is in
good reason to interfere
with the action taken by the
Sanad ——

20/11/95

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(1) Stamp Correct
(2) Copy of order produced
(3) Appeal in time
(4) Rule 1 cl (1)
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31/8/92

(General Serial No. 32.)

1892.

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No. 487

Name of Petitioner. Amrité Gauda

Village. Bidare

Taluk. Chikmagalur

District. Kadur

Date of Arzi. 19th August

Date of Receipt. 23rd August.

Date of Disposal.

No. of Enclosures. 5

ABSTRACT.

Heggade Gauda, Petitioner's sister's husband was the Hereditary Patel of the village and the register was in his name. On his death his minor son was made the Baravardar. Heldeo in 1877 and the D.C. made Petitioner's sister the Baravarda without recognizing the adoption of Sankara Gauda, (the Respondent) by the first wife of Heggade Gauda. Petitioner is the husband of Heggade Gauda's daughter

een since 1886 doing duty
for his sister as Patel-gumasta.
On her death, Sankare Gauda
claimed the Patelki and represented
himself to be a descendant
of the family, producing false
genealogical tables. Petitioner
was prevented by sickness
to appear before the
Amildar and disprove
Respondent's statements,
and the Amildar reported
in favour of Respondent
who was therefore appointed
Patel by the Dy Comm.
Petitioner states that his
sister desires in her will
that he shoud be the Patel;
and he states that he
has been found competent by
Govt. Therefore he prays
that he may be appointed the
Patel of the village.

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ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಸಾಲುಗಳನ್ನು ಓದಿರಿ. ಅವುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಲವು ಪದಗಳಿಗೆ ಅರ್ಥ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದೆ. ಅಂಥ ಪದಗಳಿಗೆ ಅರ್ಥ ಬರೆಯಿರಿ.

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MYSORE DEWAN'S OFFICE,

PETITION DEPARTMENT.

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM.

LR 195-92-2

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The accompanying Petition No. 484

dated 19th August/92 received at the

Dewan's Office from Amritegowda

of Bidare, Chickmagalur Th,

praying that he be appointed

Patel of the village in accordance

with the will of his deceased

sister who was the Barawardar,

is forwarded, together with its five

enclosures, to the Dy. Commr,

Kadur Dt, for submission

of Progs together with a report

on the facts of the case and

on the points taken in the

petition.

2. The petition shd be ret-

By Order,

Draft

for Chief Secretary.

BANGALORE,
13—9—1892

From the Dewan's Office 18 Dy 26-9-92

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(General Serial No. 30.)

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From The Dy Commissr
Kadur Dist

Do 195-92-3

To The Chief Secretary
to the Govt of Mysore

Dated 26 September

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No. 2 d Vernacular records with petitions

General No. 180 1892-93.
No.

Reporting on the petition of one Annatha Gowda, with a memo of the facts of the case and touching upon the points taken in the appeal petition -

Petr to:

V. Shrantu
for Memo from
Mr Dewan
M 30/9/93

Memorandum to Mr
Commr. with Memo
& Papers
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No. 180 En 2 with 2 Vols. Records. —

Deputy Commissioner's Office
Kadur District
Dated Chikmagalur 26th Sept. 12

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government
of Mysore.
Bangalore.

Sir,

In reply to your Memo No. Ct 340 CH dated 10/13th Instant, forwarding one Amrathe Gowda's petition for report, I have the honor to submit a memo of the facts of the case and to state as follows regarding the points taken in the appeal petition.-

The Statement made in para 2 of the petition is borne out by the records in the Case (Vide paras from 1 to 7 in the memo. of the facts of the case), except that the deceased

Lingamma

Linganuma Aggadati ——————, was not an actual sister, but a Cousin of the appellant who was her mother's sister's son, (Vide Mr Lacey's order dated 1st July 1879 - Paper 19, in the Vernacular records).

As regards para 3 of the appeal petition, it does not appear necessary, nor it stands to reason that, because the diary of all the deceased's lands was transferred to the Appellant, and the obsequies were performed by him, the hereditary Office of Patali also should go to him.

As regards the validity of the Respondent's Connection with the family (Vide paras 4 & 5 of the petition) the appellant has failed to disprove it, though he was given an opportunity. On the other hand, the respondent had his connection with the family proved both by oral and documentary evidence (Genealogical tree), and there seems to be no good reason to disbelieve it.

It will be observed from the records that the appellant attempted

to question about the connection of the Respondent only after I passed the order on 26th March 1892 recognizing the claim of the Respondent.

Further the registered deed of adoption executed as far back as May 1879, though it may have failed on some legal grounds to validate the adoption, yet I don't think that it can fairly be taken to invalidate the connection of the Respondent as men generally of the same family and of same Gotra (as stated in the deed) are taken or given in adoption.

With reference to para 6 of the petition, the appellant was never registered Hakdar Patel, but only appointed (4th September 1886) probationarily for 6 months as Patel Jamnastha, in which office he continued till the date of the Respondent's appointment lately. He could not possibly have been appointed as Hakdar when there was Lingamma Heggadati living. The wording of the appeal petition on this point is nicely misleading.

According to Hindoo Law & under

Circular

circular No 5, of 1872-73, and Proceedings No 10772-8 dated 25th January 1877 (printed in pages 269 and 270 of the Revenue Manual) and the rules in force, an hereditary Hak should be enjoyed first by the members of the direct male or female line and then by the divided members of the family

In the case under appeal there being none in the direct male or female line, Rame Gowda alias Shankre Gowda, the Respondent, who was stated to be one of the divided members of the family who was found to have had the preferential right to that of the appellant was appointed Hak= =dar Patel vice Lingamma Heggadati deceased.

The records show that the Respond= =ent has a preference, not so much as an adopted son of Challamma Heggadati (J), as he is a divided member of the family.

I am of opinion that even if the alleged "Will" transferring the Hak of the appellant be proved, it

does

does not affect the Mark of the Respondent for the Bateli Office.

The Vernacular records Connected with the case as noted in the margin are herewith submitted, together with the appeal petition and its accompaniments.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant

H M Parke
Deputy Commissioner
Kaduna District.

A.M.S.

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* Ending with Chikwagalis Amildar's No:-
(1) 40 dated 30th March 1890.
(2) 2469 dated 21st February 1887
(3) 246 dated 7th June 1892.

Memo.

Chikmagalur Taluk.

Bidre Pateli case.

Patigi Rs 49-12-0 a year.

The facts of the case are as follows:-

1. Prior to 1874, (A.)+ Heggade gowda who was the Registered Patel of this village, died leaving his two widows (F.) Challamma Heggadati and (D) Lingamma Heggadati and a minor son (B) Heggade gowda by D.

+ Vide Genealogical Tree, in which the persons named herein are marked.

2.— In 1875-76 (B) Heggade gowda (minor) was confirmed by Mr Krishna Rao, the then Deputy Commissioner, as Hakdar Patel, and one Bikkimane Challappa (not indicated in the tree) was appointed his Joomasta. Vide Document No: 29 of which is an extract from the Pateli Register of 1875-76, attached to the Vernacular file, No 6.

3.— (B) Heggade gowda having died in 1877 his Joomasta Bikkimane Challappa was registered as Patel (Vide Mr Lacey's

order

order dated 1st July ——————— 1879 —
papers Nos 19 & 20 in the Canarese file No: A)
on Condition of his maintaining ~~A~~ (Hegga=
=de gowda's) 2 widows, and the two daughters
of I (the 1st widow) till their marriage.

4. Bikkimane Mallappa resigned the
office in favor of the present Respond=
=ent (C.) Rame gowda alias Shankre Gowda -
then a minor, - he (Mallappa) Continuing
to act as Sumasta (Vide Mr Lacey's order
of the 12th September 1879 - Government No: 23
in Canarese file No A).

5. On (D) Lingamma Heggadati's appeal to
the then Division Commissioner she was
appointed Patel on Condition of her
nominating a gomasta of her own.
(Vide Mr S. Venkatavarada Iyengar's order
dated 19th January 1880 papers Nos 26 & 27
in the Canarese file No: A)

6. One Hegalmane Rame gowda was at
the request of (D.) Lingamma Heggadati,
appointed Sumasta on 11th March 1880 -
Vide Mr Venkatavarada Iyengar's order
papers No: 28 with the Canarese file No: A.

7. (D.) Lingamma Heggadati, the Hakdar
Patel, having desired to remove Hegal=
=mane Rame gowda and to appoint

her

her brother Amrutha gowda (the present appellant) instead as her goomasta, the request was granted by Mr. Heidle John in his order dated 4th September 1886 as a temporary measure for 6 months - vide paper No: 1 in the vernacular file No: B.

8. — Amrutha gowda, the appellant, Continued to act as Goomasta till the appointment of the Respondent (C) Rame gowda alias Shankre gowda on 25th May 1892 in Consequence of the death of the Hakdar (D) Linganuma Heggadati on 5th November 1891 - Papers Nos. 23 & 30 in vernacular file No: C.

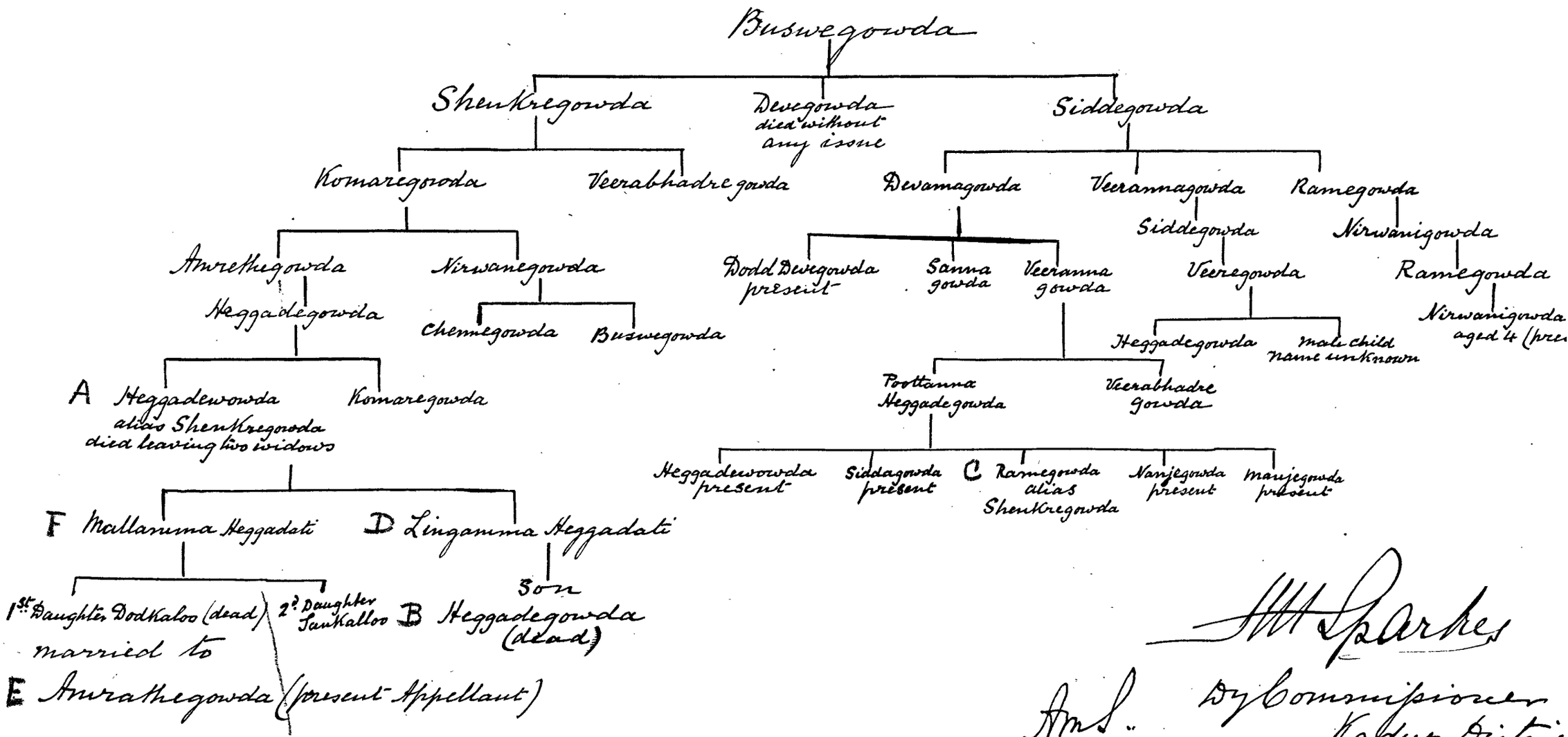
9. — The present appeal of Amrutha gowda is against the appointment of Rame gowda alias Shankre gowda.

H H Sparks
Deputy Commissioner
Kadur District.

A.M.S.

Copied D.R.J.

Geneological Tree as indicated in the Vernacular records Re the Patelship of the Bidare village in the Chikmagalur Taluk.



H H Sparkes
Dy Commissioner
Kadur District

A.M.S.

(General Serial No. 824).

1892.

No. 1551

Name of Petitioner. Chikke Gowda Patel Ramaiah

Village. Bidare

Taluk. Chickmagalur

District. Kadur

Date of Arzi. 16—12—92

Date of Receipt. 20—12—92

Date of Disposal.

No. of Enclosures. Nil

ABSTRACT.

His late brother Ramaiah Gowda has appealed against Govt. on the Shanbhoga's decision as the appellant died before the petition could be heard, prays that he may be permitted to appeal as party concerned. Petitioner's land No. 487 of 13 Survey Nos. 5 acres 25/12/92 [illegible]

Mr. Crawford to Mr. Connell

Mysore Govt. Central Press Bangalore—7-9-92,—1000.

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MYSORE DEWAN'S OFFICE
PETITION DEPARTMENT
REG'D. NO. 1551 R
DATE 20-12-92

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ಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರು ಕೆಲವು ಕಾಲ ಮೌನವಾಗಿದ್ದು ಅನಂತರ ಹೀಗೆ ಹೇಳಿದರು—

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Before the Government of *His Highness* the Maharaja of Mysore.

(7)

Appeal No. 29 of 1892-93

Appellant. Vs. Respondent.

Amrité gowda (since deceased) ~~Patel of Gopinatha~~ of Bidare village, Chikmaglur Taluk.

Rame gowda alias Shankare gowda by Mr. S. Ramaswami Iyer

Decision. 20-4-93.

The Appellant claimed the office of Patel of Bidare in the Chikmagalur Taluk. He was a son-in-law of Heggade gowda (whose widow Linganna was the last holder of the office, having succeeded to it on the death of her minor son) and a cousin (maternal aunt's son) of Linganna. The Deputy Commissioner considered that Appellant had no legal claim to the Office and conferred it on the Respondent.

2. The Appellant is reported to be dead. One Chikke Gowda a cousin of deceased Appellant presented a

Vernon according to the office in question.

3. Heggade Gowda, the original hak-dar, died leaving him surviving two daughters and a son who are also dead, leaving no issue. It is thus apparent that Heggada Gowda's line is completely extinct. The Respondent in whose favor the Deputy Commr has confirmed the office appears to be a divided cousin of Heggade Gowda, and as such has a preferential claim to the office, and the Government see no good reason to interfere with the order passed by the Deputy Commissioner

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Copy to the Deputy Commr Kadur District, with the vernacular proceedings received with his Nº 180 of 26th Septr 1892.

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Endorsement granted to Heddadal Chikkegowda, ~~Patel Gowdatte~~ cousin of Amritegowda, decd, of Bidare, Chikmagalur Taluk,

in reply to his Petition Registered No. 1551 dated 16-12-92, and petition Regd No. 4879, 19-8-92, of his ~~brother~~ cousin Amritegowda since deceased, appealing against the order of the Deputy Commissioner of Kadur regarding the Patail of Bidare.

Petitioner is informed that the original haldar Heggadegowda's line having become extinct, the appointment of Respondent Ranegowda alias Shankaregowda who, as a divided cousin of Heggadegowda, has a preferential claim to the office, seems proper, and ~~that~~ the Govt see no good reason to interfere with it.

2 The enclosures are herewith returned

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for Chief Secretary.

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